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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

Applicant hereby requests continued examination of the above-captioned application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114. The application is a non-provisional application that was filed on or after June 8, 1995.

This request is being submitted after the filing of a Notice of Appeal and thus is to be considered as a request to withdraw the appeal and to reopen prosecution.

For the submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, Applicant requests entry of the amendment set forth in Applicant's Supplemental Remarks, submitted herewith.

Enclosed is a check for \$375.00 in payment of the fee required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) for this Request for Continued Examination. Also enclosed is a petition to extend the period for replying for four months, to and including June 16, 2003.

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